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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON: F. Algar, 11, Clement's Lone, Dombard Street. George Street, 30, Cornhill. Gordon & Gotch, 121, Hollow Hill, E.C. Bates Hendy & Co., 4 Old Jentry, E.O. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW BEAWAND GORDON & GOTCH, Mel-

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally; White & Blues, San CHINA: Swatow, DROWN & Co. Amoy, O Co. Shanghal, BIELFELD & KELLY. Manila, C. Heinszen & Co.

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prioris stroquepariures house described A. Lieutenant, for Macao. Applie, for Whampon, Glenaros, for Swatow. M. C. Nelson, for Singapore. Delia, for Manila.

Per America, par irom San Francisco, — For Yokohama, — W. H. Morse, Mrs. Baker and daughter, F. Abegg, Prof. R. D. C. J. Langden Geo. P. Spooner W. Perry, P. R. G. Vivian, Rev. D. G. Green and Wife, Mrs. M. C. Lewis, Mrs. B. Edwards, Mrs. N. Arnold, Jas. K. Caird, Miss Caird, Miss M. Weppner, Dr. B. Simmons and wife and sop, T. J. Thos, Hanbury and wife, Gen. Tom Thumb and wife, Miss Minnie Warren, Com. Nutt and brother, S. Bleeker, and wife, S. B. Kellogg, N. Davis, C. H. Bryste, F. Schellhase, Mrs. S. O. Dalrymple, S. U. Farnham and wife, Miss Phillips, Clark Blethan F. Th. Clark Blethen, F. Thorndike, C. E. Keeler H. Richardson, F. G. Nobb, Geo. Coop-John Hatfield, and Andrew Robertson, also. 2 Chinese in steerage. For Hong. kong,-J. Denmeade, Mrs. V. D. Collins infant, C. J. Mestern and wife, N. J. Ede, Fred. Brown, Yee Wee, wife, and sersteerage. From Yokohama for Hongkong. J. Keith Angus, G. Farley, Jr., Henry B. Lemann and servant, John G. Walsh, and Jas. Farfara; 4 Chinese in steerage.

Shipping Reports:

The American steamer America, Captain Dozne, from San Francisco via Yokohama, strong gales with heavy sea all the passage

B. LIST OF CONSIGNEES OF TREASURE AND MERCHANDISE. Per steamer America, from fan Francisco November 4th 1869, and from Yokohama 2nd December, 1869, viz. Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China, \$649,684.74; Lee Ping, \$32,830; We Hing & Co., \$14,100; Wing Mow Cheong & Co., \$19,015; Yee Own & Co., \$23,110; Hong Tai On, \$15,300; Wing Cheong Kut, \$21,650; Yee Wo Cheong & Co., \$8,668; Quan Lung Sang, \$7,400; Kwong Cheong Lung, \$7,300; Kwong Wo \$4,485; Sim Chong Chan & Co., \$6,520; Tung Tuck, \$6,245; Jardine, Matheson & Co., \$6,000; Ling Wan & Co., \$9,850; Quang Men Lay, \$5,500; Chan Chong Wing, \$7,970; Kwong Man Fung, 43,790; San Wo Jan & Co. \$3,653; Chan Wa, \$3,400; Chong Wo, \$6,580; Russell & Col. \$1,078.24 : Oriental Bank Corporation, \$68,000; Gin Long, \$2,200; Mow Wo Chong, \$5,100; Melchers & Co., \$10,000; Walsh & Co., \$2,867; Quong Sin Ching, 800 packages Merchandise; Gustav Weiler, 3, Kwong Ching Lung 70, Kwong Man Foong 1,485, Lee Ping 85, Yee Own *Co. 71, Fook Lung 1, Cheong Wo 1,001, Wing Chong Kut, 97, Quan Yee Gee 2, Yee Own & Co. 1, L. P. Ward 8, Cutting & Co. 4, Wm. Pustati & Co. 4, L. P. Ward 12, Olyphant & Co. 463, Russell & Co. 3, Horace Davis & Co. 500, 8.1 E. Burrows 1, Chis. P. Eldridge 1, Quang Hing 6, E. Sige & Co. 2, De Silver & Co. 1, Sir Rich MacDonnell 1: Felipe de La Torre Bueno 1, Order 10, Mow Wo Chong 24. Yew Wo Long 41, Kwong Wo Shing 168 Lane, Crawford & Co. 1, Chung Nam 1 Bearer 1, R. Devens 3, Siemssen & Co. 1 Dr H. H. Winn 1, 100 to Order, E Wo Loong 76.

New Advertisements

P. M. S. S. Co. AMERICA, CAPTION F DOANE FROM SAN FRANCISCO & YOKOHAMA.
ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed vessel are requested to send in
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for
countersignature and take immediate deli-Very of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge, will be landed and stored at Consigness risk and

T. A. HARRIS. Hongkong, December 9, 1869.

FOR BOMBAY, VIA SINGAPORE AND PENANG. Should sufficient inducement offer. The Russian ateam-ship JAMES AITEEN, MASTER, WI

JAMES AITEEN, Master, will be dispatched at above, on SUN-DAY, the 12th instant, at 9 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1869,

New Advertisements.

Per P. M. Sir. AMERICA."

[IRST CLASS Anglo-Spanish, AngloFrench and Franco-Portuguese DICTION ARIES, GUNN'S Physician, Phiness
Finn (handsomely illustrated), Confucius
and the Chinese Classics. The Atlantic,
Overland, Harper's and Godey's MAGAZINES ZINES and a number of Standard American NOVELS.

Hongkong, December 9, 1869.

Hongkong, December 9, 1869.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

Magnetic MACHINES. Chocolat MENIER BERFUMERY Rose WATER CRACKERS

Floral FOUNTAINS Perfume SACHETS and various other GOUDS: Auch as-Gold and Silver RESPIRATORS.

do do. SPONGES. Liebeg's EXT. MEAT (True.) Bragg's Charcoal BISCUITS Reseate Powder for removing superfluous Haldier's Dog POWDERS and SOAP TABLETS.

Hongkong, December 6, 1869. EX KJOBENHAVN,

Hongkong, December 6, 1869.

DELICACIES AND NOVELTIES FOR OHRISTMAS.

DLOOM MUSCATELS. Truffled SAUSAGES. Russian OX:TONGUES. Choice French PLUMS. FRUITS, in BRANDY. Do. do. NOYEAU

Crystallized FRUITS French BONBONS. Bonbon COSAQUES. Fancy Do. Silver Wedding Do. Candied PEEL MINCEMEAT. Plum PUDDINGS. Christmas CAKES. Jordan ALMONDS Carlabad WAFERS, GROUSE in GRAVY. Truffed ORTOLANS Fresh CAVIARE. Dessert BISCUITS. Vanilla Do. French Chocolate BONBONS Rosewater CRACKERS, Bouquet FANS. Costume Do. Floral D_0 .

Perfume HAMPERS. do. BOOKS.

STEREOSCOPES. STEREO-SLIDES. CARTES DE VISITE. Music FOLIOS. Despatch BOXES Courier BAGS. Photographic ALBUMS. Bronze FIGURES Parian STATUETTES Tobacco JARS. Scent BOTTLES. BOOK SLIDES,

Glove BOXES. Paint / Do. Optic WONDERS. ElDOTROPES. Magio FLOWERS. Steam TOYS.

Gold SCARF SLIDES. Do. CHARMS. TOYS. Dancing NEGROS. Clockwork FLY TRAP. Christmas: Tree ORNAMENTS. Krug's CHAMPAGNE, to do do a serie de la

And, for Masons, for St. John's Day. APRONS. JEWELS. de. de. de. LANE, ORAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 6, 1869.

New Advertisements.

MORRIS & Co.

Arrivals on the Police of the Property of the

LASSE'S "Pick me Up," or American Cock Tail Bitters, with silver tube attached to facilitate dropping, thereby doing away the necessity of drawing the cork.

Hongkong, December 6, 1869 THE following GOODS have just been Clanded ex mail steamer, many of which will be found suitable for the coming Jhristmas festivities, viz.:--

do FOUNTAINS

Fess' CHEST PROTECTORS for Weak

Syphon FEEDING BOTTLES. India Rubber Nursing APRONS.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

DOKER'S BITTERS. D CORN BROOMS. Floor OIL-CLOTH, in Choice Patterns. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

York HAMS. Albert CHEESE. Handsome Gift BOXES of BONBONS.

Electro Plated FLOWER STANDS

Magne ic MACHINES. Ladies' COMPANIONS.

WAR DEPARIMENT.

CEALED Tenders (in Duplicate) marked on all admitted claims, at the Office of Mr. C. Hangoon Davies, Public Accountant, Fedder's Wharf, from Wednesday, the 1st, until Friday, the 31st day of December next, inclusive; after the last mentioned date no claims can be received.

J. FAIRBAIRN, Trustee for the Creditors of December of the Royal Engineer Office Commissariat Buildings: between the charge of the Creditors of Buildings between the hours of 10 a.m.

Bulange, daily. O.F. POTGIETER/ taing sour buil blue A set. Comy, Gentil ad 9.00 Controller's Office. Hongkong December 6, 1869, 5 11 de 13 TO LET.

With immediate ppssession. ESTBOURNE YILLAS, Nos. 1 and 2 adjoining Mr HELDAND's Residence. Rent, \$60 per month. Water, Gas, and Bella throughout,

RAWLING, MEDLEN & Co. Club Chambers. Hongkong, December 8, 1869, HRISTMAS PRESENTS

large assortment of VASES, LUS BES, &c., do. De.Le.Bue's PLAYING CARDS. Ball PROGRAMMES, PENCILS, &c. Masonic APRONS and RIBBONS. TOYS, DOLLS, do., &c.,

Alan Il T of (Per last Mail) (Veste BONNETS, HADS, MANTLES, FLOW ERS, SKIR S, do do do of the latest Hendrie's and Gosnell's new PER-FUMES, &o., &c. Af MISS GARRETT'S.

Store de Status Queen's Road, 43 Hongkong, December 8, 1869. OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADER'S INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHABEHOLDERS.

OTIOE is hereby given that the Ordinary MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on WED-NESDAY, the 15th December 1869, at 3 o'clook P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Committee, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st October

By order of the Committee AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, November 19, 1869,

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

HE Transfer Books of the Company will be CLUSED from the 16th to the 31st instant, both days included. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers

Hongkong, December 1, 1869. THE CHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

OPIES of the Deed of Settlement and Forms of Application for Shares in the above Company may now be obtained at the Office of the Undersigned. WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, December 6, 1869.

OFFICE OF THE OHINA TRADER'S INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

NIOTICE is hereby given that the Regis-N ter of Shares of the Company will be Closed from the 29th day of November to the 15th December 1869, (both days included), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

By order of the Committee, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, November 19, 1869. THE MACDONNELL PATENT

SLIP.

WEST POINT.

THIS SLIP is now available for Docking Vessels of 1500 Tons and under, and for all work connected therewith. There is also a first class Steam Saw Mill. Planing, Moulding, and Joining Machine on the premises which effect a great saving of of 22 tons, built in Boston, of Oak, time in the execution of work. for the repair of Wood and Iron Ships con- under deck-house, 6 feet. She is fitted

A. McDONALD & Co. Proprietors, Hongkong, November 27, 1:69.

1 ST and 2nd class MUSICIANS. Pay diately on board U. S. Flag ship Deleware. Hongkong, November 18, 1869.

WANTED by a Portuguese, Employment in a Mercantile Establishment. Apply to F. A. V., cars of this paper. Hongkong, November 8, 1869 LOST.

Black Retriever DOG with a white upon the fall of the hammer. A patch under the throat, curly hair, and answers to the name of "Lion." Any person taking the same on board H M.S. Midge, will, if necessary, be re-Hongkong, October 21, 1869,

New Advertisements.

ESTATE OF LEEA-FONG. OTICE is hereby given that the Second and Final DIVIDEND of this Estate J. FAIRBAIRN, Trustee for the Creditors of

Hongkong, November 13, 1869.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sale Rooms, Queen's Road, on

Auctions.

FRIDAY, the 10th instant, at 1 past 12,-A quantity of Household FURNI-TURE, comprising: Bedstead with Mattress, Bolster and Pillows, Office Desk, most thorough repair in the Hull, En-Envelope Case, a Mordan's folio-size gine and Boilers. Copying Press, Lamps, Chairs, Shanghai Bath Tub, Chest of Drawers, Aneroid chase money to be paid on the fall of the Barometer, Oil Paintings, a few Standard Books.

Etc., Etc. 50 pairs Dawson's Boots. 100 cases Cheap Brandy. 10 casks Resin. 25 boxes American Apples. 8 cases Mutton Hams.

3 cases assorted Wall Papers. 5 cases American Tobacco. A few cases assorted Paints. (On account of the concerned,) 300 bags Flour.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots, with all errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the ham-

Hongkong, December 7, 1869. PUBLIC AUCTION.

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at the Residence of R. EZEKIEL, Esq., No. del6 3 Pottinger Street, on

TUESDAY, the 14th December, 1869, at Noon,—

The whole of the Household FURNI TURE, comprising : Blue and Green Damask covered Chairs and Couches, Marble-top Tables and Teapoys, handsome Pier Glass, Cheval Glass, Marble Time Piece, Books, Crystal Gasaliers and Brackets, Extension Dining Table, Chairs, Sideboards, Whatnots, Plated Ware, jal Glassware, Carpets, Engravings, Bedsteads, Wardrobes, Toilet Tables, Mirrors, Washstands,

> :OFFICE:__ Office Desks, Chairs, Copying Press, Money Scales, Iron Safes, etc.

A PIANO, by Collard & Collard. The whole may be viewed on the payments will be issued at the Head Office morning of the day of sale.

The Office Furniture will be sold at 12 TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 8, 1869. del4

PUBLIC AUCTION. HE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction.

TUESDAY,

the 28th day of December, 1869, immediately after the Sale of the Steamer TITAUA (unless previously disposed of by private contract),— The Screw Steam-boat

planked with Pine. Length over all Spars, Timber, and all requisite materials | 50 feet; Beam, 12 feet; and depth of bold with a single direct-acting high pressure Engine of about 18 Horse-power, nomi- Bank. nal, and has a tubular boiler.

Average working pressure 50 lbs., but capable of being worked up to double that pressure. The Hull of this vessel is everywhere sound, and her Engines balance. and Boilers have been thoroughly overhauled and made as good as new, For further particulars, apply to the

undersigned.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on the fall of the hammer in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. The vessel to be at purchaser's risk The vessel will be moored alongside the TITAUA on the day of sale.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 8, 1869.

----PUBLIC AUCTION. HE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auc-

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the 28th day of December, 1869, at Noon, on board,

The Paddle Wheel Steamer built in New York, by Messrs Perrine, Patterson and Steck, of White Oak, Copper-fastened to deep load line and thoroughly treenailed. Tonnage 1,000 Captain RAPATEL, H. L. M. E. Length, 260 feet. Beam, 31 feet, Depth of Hold, 20 feet, has three

decks. The engine is American Beam of 200 Horse Power, nominal, and in good order, having every requisite. She has two Boilers, single return flue -with steam Chimneys, Good for Four

The Steamer has lately undergone the

TERMS OF SALE, One-half of the Purhammer, and the balance on the transfer of the vessel, in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7. The vessel to be at purchaser's risk

upon the fall of the hammer, Expenses of transfer to be paid by the purchaser. For further particulars, apply to J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctionser ...

Hongkong, December 6, 1869. de28 Advised RUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received in-

structions from Messrs Nowrojee & Co. to sell by Public Auction, (On account of the concerned,)

the 10th Instant, at Noon, at the Godowns of Messrs J. J. Dos Remedios & delo Co., Wanchai, Praya,-S S (in diamond) 1 136 bales Bengal COTTON.

Ex str. Catherine Apoar. TERMS.—Cash before delivery in Bank H. N. MODY. Auctioneer.

Hongkong, December 8, 1869. de10

Banks. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK ING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

OE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's Stock will fall due on the dates following, viz :---

On lat July, 1869, \$25

1st July, 1870, 25 lst Jan., 1872. 25 1st Jan., 1873, 25 Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such

and Branches. By Order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION:

SUBSURIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLL'ARS. COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman-Gro. F. HEARD, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Julius Menke, Req. GRORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR. A. JOOST, Eaq. LLIAM LEMANN J. P. DUNCANSON, Esq. 48 15 15 15 W. H. Forses, Esq. Honorable RICHARD S. D. SAESOON, Eaq. ROWETT.

Managers. Hongkong, . . VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. Chief Manager. Shanghae, DAVID MAGLEAN, Esq. London BANKERS.—London and County port.

E. R. Belilios, Esq.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED O'N Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits .--For 3 months, 2 per cent. per sunum.

,, 6 ,, 4 per cent. ,, LOUAL-BILLS DISCOUNTED. 5 per cent. ,, Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India. Australia, America, China and Japan

VICTOR KRYSSER, Offices of the Corporation, No, L. Queen's Road Bast. Hongkong, January 1, 1869,

Auctions.

Shipping. STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. HE P. & O. Co.'s S. S.

will have quick despatch for the above W. M. GILLSON For Superintendent.

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM

Hongkong, December 7, 1869. COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES. The Company's steamer "LABOURDONNAIN"

will be despatched for YOKOHAMA three hours after the arrival of the next French Mail.

Hongkong, December 6, 1869.

IMPERIALES. The Company's steamer 'PHASE." despatched for SHANGHAT

Principal Agent Hongkong, December 6, 1869.

CALCUTTA. The British steamer "CATHERINE APOAR,"-

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, December 6, 1869,

The Spanish steamer Captain BORDENAVE, expected ed here from Amoy on or about 10th inst., will be despatched to the

For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Cont Hongkong, December 6, 1869, with 181

The A 1 British ship Capt. Finch, will leave for the

FOR SAIGON. The A 1 French Ship

For Freight or Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, December 8, 1869.

Captain Hobbs, of 404 tons Register (a voyage to Australia

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY. The well-known A 1 clipper-ship Capt. Whyte, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged,

For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. Hongkong, December 4, 1869.

Cargo engaged.
The A 1 clipper-brig
CATHERINE FULLARTON, 300 tons capacity. Captain HUGHAN,

A. G. HOGG & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1869. FOR MANILA, The Spanish brig

REMEDIOS & Co. FOR MANILA. The Spanish schooner

will have immediate despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to H. COHEN, Burd's Lane. Hongkong, December 1, 1869.

FOR MANILA. The A 1 Spanish barque dispatch for the above port. Hongkong, November 17, 1869,

C. BERTRAND.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES . SARY MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES Captain CHAMPENOIS, Will be

C. BERTRAND,

Captain Swanson, will leave for the above ports on SATUR-DAY next, the 11th instant at 3 P.M. Despatches will close at 2 P.M.

FOR MANILA

above port, Twenty-four hours after the arrival of the French Mail.

For Passage, apply to
CARLOWITZ & Co.

"TANJURE,
479 Tons Register, Capt. Lovseau, will be despatched on the

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER The British barque

For particulars, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 6, 1869.

will have immediate despatch for the above

FOR MELBOURNE. With quick despatch, a large portion of her

BARCELO, Master, will meet with quick dispatch for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to

GOETUR, Master, will have quick For Freight or Passage, apply to KIRCHNER BUGER & Co.

shortly after the arrival of the next French

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

FOR BANGROK.

Hongkong, December 8, 1869.

For Freight, apply to

FOR NEW YORK. The American chip

-" ARRAŪAN," H. SPENCER, Master, will load at Whampon for the above port. at Whampon for the above port, at current rates, and have quick dispatch. For Freight, apply to

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 21, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American Ship "SUMATRA" Captain Mullen, will have de-For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1869.

----FOR SAN FRANCISCO. To follow the "Jewess.". The British Ship "LADY BOWEN." Woodwock, Master, will have quick despatch for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, October 16, 1869.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The British barque "ATREVIDA."

Captain KINDERD, of 525 tons Register. For particulars, apply to " A L'A DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong: November 4, 1869.

LIVITIES TOR SALE

The Paddle Wheel Steamer built in New York by Messrs · · · TITAUA," Perrine Patterson & Stack, of White Oak, planked and ceiled with Yellow Pine, Copper Fastened to deep load line and thoroughly treenailed. Tonnage. 1.000 tons. Length, 200 feet; Beam, 31 feet Depth of Hold, 20 feet; has three decks. The Engine is American Beam of 200

Horse power, nominal, and in good order, having every requisite. Ble has two Boilers, single return flue, with Steam Chimneys The Steamer has lately undergone the most thorough repair in Hull, Engine and

Tenders for the purchase of the Steamer will be received, and any further information will be given, by the Agents. AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co. Hongkong, 17th November, 1869. del7

Notices to Consignees.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND ONSIGNEES, of Cargo per Steam-ship "China," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo simpeding the discharge of the steamer will be landed and stored at Consigness' risk and expense. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, December 7, 1869. de13

P. M. S. S. CO. OTIOE is hereby given that the belowmentioned Packages will be SOLD for Freight and Charges, if not claimed prior to December 28th, 1869, viz.:-

Ex S. S. Colorado, August 8, 1868. H (in diamond), I case Saudles to G. Ex S. S. Ohina, July 8, 1869.

.Exp. 7. A. T } (L, L, & C, indimds.) Tobacco, J. H. Ladd to G. T. A. HARRIS.

Hongkong, November 26, 1869.

UTOH BARQUE MARIA LOUISA ANTOINETTE. FROM HAMBURG. UNSIGNEES of Cargo by above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills, of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate

delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at consignees BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.

Hongkong, August 30, 1869. BRITISH SHIP STAR OF THE NORTH

FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above vessel aré hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned and take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessol

will be landed and stored at Consignees BOURJAU. HUBENER & Co.

Hongkong, October 18, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. R. H. H. WARDEN is admitted IVI partner in our firm from this date. RUSSELL & Co. China, December 1, 1809.

NOTICE. FY HE interest and responsibility of our partner, the late Mr. SHAPOORJER Bomonjee, ceased in our firm on the 4th

CAWASJEE PALLANJE & Co. Hongkong, November 23, 1869. TR. PAUL GERHARD HUBBE, and Mr. ALBERT GULTZOW have been authorixed to sign our firm here and in China

from this date. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, November 1, 1869. jan1

NOTICE. AR: THOMAS H. DE SILVER Is admitted IVI a partner in our firm from the 1st of October 1869.

L FRICKEL & Co. Hongkong, October 21, 1869. NOTICE.

T HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NUTICE. MAR. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly author Co.'s Wharf. ised to sign our Firm per Procuration from this date. F. BLACKHEAD & Co.

Hongkong, June 15, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. THE Business of KINNBAR & Co., Foochow, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co. the partners therein being, Mr WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr THOMAS LAN-CASTER LARKEN. WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR.

Foochow, May 1, 1869. NOTICE. MITE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1868. MR. ROBERT JOHNSTONE is autho-

II rized to sign our Firm per procura-FINDLAY, RICHARDSON & Co. Yokohama, November 18, 1869.

For Sale.

HOTOGRAPHIC VIEWS of Pekin and its surroundings. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, November 3, 1869. Full Size BILLIARD TABLE by Sherwood, Calcutta, with Marking Board, Cues, Rests, Balls, &c., &c., complete.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, November 3, 1869. FOR SALE.

OALS suitable for Household purposes. ROBERT S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, November 9, 1869.

FOR SALE. Large and Powerful GALVANIO BATTERY, of 80 cells, upon the late Professor Danter's plan. It will make strong electric Light. Chemicals, &c., complete. To be seen at the ... Albion Hotel,"

Hongkong, October 29, 1869. FOR SALE. O LOGS CAMPHOR WOOD, Ship's OF TIMBERS. 11 Ship's PLANKS, Hard and Camphor

24 single Apply to RAYNAL & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1869.

50 double Ship's KNEES

FOR SALE FEW Pairs of beautiful Manila DOGS (white poodles) and one pair of Dwarf Poodles, even very seldom in Manila. Information at Mr. T. H. BARRELET, Queen's Road No. 94. Hongkong, December 1, 1869.

FOR SALE. SMALL Invoice of DUFF GORDON & Co.'s Pale Dry SHERRY, red seal. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, November 23, 1869.

FOR SPORTSMEN. HE Undersigned has e received an assortment of :-Breechloading FOWLING PIECES

AMMUNITION and REQUISITES for CARTRIDGES, 16 and 12 gauge, and OARTRIDGE CLUSERS, of Metal and

CAPS for recapping same. CARTRIDGES, CARRIER, & CAME-POWDER-FLASKS and Shot Pouches.

Double Strap Shot POUCHES, SLINGS and Pouch SLINGS. Elley's Green patent Wire CARTRID-FES of most useful sizes. Elley's superior Elastic Concaved Felt WADDING, etc., etc., of most useful

For Ladies and Gentlemen. Pleasure Saloon RIFLES & PISTOLS, AMMUNITION for same. and offer the above on reasonable terms. WM. SUHMIDT & Co.,

Gunmakers. Queen's Road Central, 94. Hongkong, October 16, 1869,

FOR SALE, Under power contained in the Mortgage

LL those valuable Premises situate in Hongkong, abutting on Queen's Road in the South, and partly on the Praya on the North, formerly occupied by Messrs. Smith, Kennedy & Co., and now in the occuration of Mesars. E. Schellhass & Co. The Premises are built on Marine Lot No. 101, and are held under Lease from the Crown for 999 years, subject to a Crown rent of £30 per annum. The Premises are spacious and airy, and the ground compri-

ses an area of 14.400 square feet. Those valuable Premises adjoining the above on its Western boundary, formerly in the occupation of the Asiatic Bank, and built on Inland Lot No. 514. These Premises are likewise held under a Crown If Lease for 999 years, subject to a Crown rent of £24 10s, per annum, and the Lot

contains an area of 6,760 square feet. The above valuable Property will be sold by Public Auction in Hongkong on some early day (of which due notice will be given), unless previously disposed of by private

For further particulars, apply to MESSES. SMITH, ARCHER & Co., HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esq.,

Hongkong, 3rd August, 1869.

CANTON. 10 BE SOLD .- A substantially built HOUSE on Shameen. For TERMS, apply to the present occupiers, Mesars Moul & Co.

October 25, 1869. Houses and Lands.

TO LET. (With immediate possession.) NEVERAL Strong New GODOWNS, very conveniently situated on Marine Lot No. 63, between Mesars John Burd & Co. 18

For Particulars, apply to A. McLEOD, At Mesers Gibb, Livingston & Co.'s Hongkong, April 26, 1869,

Houses and Lands.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. HE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms." ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 4. 1866.

TO LET. With Immediate Possession. NYO. 4 Pechili Terrace, Elgin Street.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hougkong, September 29, 1869. TO LET.

From the 1st December next. HE Eligible Residence situated above Bonham Road, recently in the occupation of M. Bosman, Esq. For Particulars, apply to

ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, October 9, 1869. CLUB CHAMBERS, D'AGUILAR

STREET. FEW Sets of these desirable CHAM-BERS are now vacant, and can be had on reasonable terms. Apply to DOUGEAS LAPRAIK & Co-Hongkong, February 5, 1869.

TO LET. With Immediate Possession. BUNGALOW at Pokefolum. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1869.

TO LET. With Immmediate Possession. THAT desirable BUNGALOW, known as "Greenmount" situate on the Bonham Road, and till lately in the occupation of C. H. Morgan, Esq. For Particulars, apply to

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, November 18, 1869.

AND FLOOR of a house in Queen's Road, well situated. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 23, 1869.

TO LET. 17 ITH immediate possession, the House and Offices, No. 4, Gough Street lately occupied by Mesers A. WILKINSON & Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, October 14, 1868. TO BE LET. 1X71 H Pussession from the 1st October next, the HOUSE AND OFFICE

No. 9, Gough Street, at present occupied by Messrs KIRUHNER BOGER & Co. Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, June 30, 1869.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET NO. 1 Pechili Terrace, ELGIN STREET, neatly furnished with good Englishmade FURNITURE, with possession from Executrix in the said Will named. 1st November. Apply to

LANE. CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, October 1, 1869.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE. HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take | Dated at Pagoda Anchorage,

Ex " Hoogly," 23rd August, 1869. Vte. A C . . . 1 Portmanteau Ex "Dupleix," 8th of December, 1869. VS (in dia'nd) ½, 2 cases Curios. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, December 9, 1869. PUBLIC AUCTION

INHE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auc-SATURDAY, the 11th day of December, 1869.

Noon, at the Godowns of Messrs C. C. Cohen & Co.,— (For account of the concerned.) 61 packages Manila ROPE. (More or less damaged by sea water.) TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

J. M. ARMSTRONG. Austioneer. Hongkong, December 9, 1869.

FOR SAIGON. The A 1 North German barque "ELLEN RICKMERS," Captain B. F. Rehm, will have quick dispatch as above, For Freight or Passage, apply to

MELCHERS & Co. Hougkong, December 9, 1869.

CAUTION.

IN HEREAS it has been brought to our notice that our Soda Water CAPS. stamped "Hongkong Dispensary," bought up from House-boys for Chinese Soda Water Makers, who use them to car Ærated Waters made by themselves, which Waters are afterwards fraudulently supplied by Compradors, and vended for sale in the harbour and elsewhere, under our name; we hereby give notice that we will prosecute all persons so offending, under the provisions of the "Merchan Marks Ordinance 1863."

A. S. WATSON & Co... Hongkong Dispensory. Hongkoug, November 20, 1869.

SELLING OFF! PANCY DRE-SES, Black and Colored SILKS, SHAWLS, MANTLES, FI. CHUS, BONNETS, HATS, MUSLINS, RIBBONS, VELVETS, FEATHERS. FLOWERS, LACES, Muslin and Wool WORK, WOOLS, HOSIERY, French Gasette, MERINOS, &c., &c.

closing their Show Room, will sell their an assignee or assignees of the Bankrupt's Public that Mr Kelly had no authority to premises and Messrs Gibs, Livingston & STUCK OF MILLINERY AND DRA- estate and effects. PERY GOODS at a discount of 25 per cent. off all purchases of Ten dollars and upwards, from this date. g, w, Baker & Co,

Hongkong, December 1, 1869.

New Advertisements.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF -HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY. NOTICE.

MHUN YUN CHEUN, a Native of Sun On in the Empire of China but now of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong travelling trader having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court of said Court at the first meeting of his Creditors to be held before the said Registrar on Wednesday the Fifteenth day of December next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely at the said Court.

The said William Hastings Alexander is the Official Assignee and Mr EDMUND SHARP is the Solicitor acting in the Bank-

A Public sitting will be appointed by the said Court for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination of which sitting notice will be given in the Hongkong Government Gazette. At the first meeting of Creditors the

an assignee or assignees of the Bankrupt's! estate and effects. All persons who have possession of any Hongkong, Nov. 18, 1869. 3.t.w. n18-70 the effects of the said Bankrupt deliver the same to the Official Assignee and all debts due to the said Bankrupt must be paid to the said Official Assignee.

of Creditors, and the Creditors may choose

NOTICE.

In the Estate of HENRY DAVIES MARGESSON, Deceased

F ETTERS of Administration with the Will annexed of the Estate of HENRY DAVIES MARGESSON, late of Hongkong and Macao, Merchant, deceased, having been granted by the Supreme Court of Hongkong in its Probate Jurisdiction to the Undersigned as Attorneys for the Execu tors, all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts to the Undersigned without delay, and all persons having claims against the said Estate are required to send in particulars of their claims with vouchers to the Undersigned (addressed to the care of T. G. LINSTEAD) on or before the Thirtieth day of June next, after which date no claims will be admitted.

Dated the third day of December, A.D. W. KESWICK, T. G. LINSTEAD, Administrators.

NOTICE.

In the Estate of Thomas Thompson Deceased. DROBATE of the last Will and Testament of Thomas Thompson, late of Pagoda Auchorage, Port of Foochow, having been granted to the Undersigned,

All persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Persons having claims against the Estate are hereby requirthe Undersigned at Pagoda Anchorage, Foochow, on or before the 15th December, received or admitted.

M. E. THOMPSON,

November 11, 1869.

In the matter of EDWARD CONSTANT RAY. NOTICE TO CREDITORS PUR-UANT TO THE BANKRUPTCY ORDI

NANCE 1864, SECTION 170. DWARD CONSTANT RAY, lately L trading in copartnership with Joseph Johnson Ray, as a Storekeeper and Commission Merchant at Victoria in the Colony of Hougkong under the style or firm of "RAY & Co." and now of Victoria aforesaid Mercantile assistant on the 18th day of November instant, having executed Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors which can be inspected at the office of me the undersigned, and whereof WIL-LIAM RUDOLPH LANDSTEIN and JOHN FAIR-BAIRN both of Victoria aforesaid Merchants are Trustees, the Creditors of the said Ep-WARD CONSTANT RAY are hereby required to signify their assent to or dissent from such deed by notice in writing addressed to

the Trustees within forteen days from the date of the insertion of this notice. EDMUND SHARP Solicitor to the said EDWARD CONSTANT RAY,

Hongkong, November 18, 1869,

BANK BUILDINGS

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY. NOTICE.

EONG WAH TING of No. 122 Queen's Road Central Victoria Hongkong trading solely under the shop name Leen Cheong." Blacksmith and Brazier having been adjudged Bankrupt under Petition for adjudication of Bankruptoy filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong in Bankruptcy on the Thirtieth day of November 1869 is hereby required to surrender himself to William Hastings Alexander Esquire the Registrar of the said Court at the first meeting of his Creditors to be held as Secretaries till 31st December, 1870, by before the said Registrar on Wednesday which time the necessary arrangements will the Fifteenth day of December next at be completed for securing the services of a

he said Court.

For Forms of Application for Shares, and
Copies of the Deed of Settlement, apply to the the said Court. is the Official Assignee and Mr EDMUND SHABP is the Solicitor acting in the Bank-

A Public sitting will be appointed by the said Court for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination of which sitting notice will be given in the Hongkong Government

of the effects of the said Bankrupt must Theatre until further notice. deliver the same to the Official Assigner and all debts due to the said Bankrupt must be paid to the said Official Assignee,

New Advertisements.

SPANISH CONSULATE TENDERS will be received at this Consulate for the SERVICE of the MAIL STEAMERS between SINGAPORE and MANILA.

The conditions can be seen at the Office of this Consulate. Hongkong, October 19, 1869.

HORSE SHOEING. THE Undersigned begs to intimate that he has engaged the services of a first

class European Farrier. Hongkong in Bankruptcy on the Thirtieth Gentlemen who may favour him with day of November 1869 is hereby required their, patronage, may depend on having, to surrender himself to WILLIAM HASTINGS. | their Horses, or Ponies, carefully shod, on ALEXANDER Esquire the Registrar of the the latest improvements of Horse Shoeing. T. E. HAWKINS, No. 6 Duddell St ..

Hongkong, December 3, 1869.

NOTICE. ANALYTICAL APPARATUS.

THE Undersigned having received from Europe a complete Analytical Apparatus, are now prepared to undertake organic, inorganic, volumetric, qualitative, or quantitative analysis, at reasonable Registrar will receive the proofs of the debts

Address TH. KOFFER or H. KOCK. Analytical Chemists, MEDICAL HALL.

DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS TOLDING a Diploma from the Philadelphia Dental College, resumes the practice of his profession at Hongkong, Office and Residence, 59, Wyndham Street; 24 Ohinese, but patients visited at their homes if desired. All diseases of the teeth treated, and artificial work inserted on gold, silver

monsoon and thick rainy weather. Devulcanite and Allen's continuous gum. Hougkong, June 14, 1869. PHOTOGRAPHY. NIOW: Publishing by the Undersigned N GROUP OF THE ROYAL FAMILY and Card of H. R. H., &c., &c., &c. Also for the first time here, the DIAMO CAMEO PORTRAITS, MEDALLIONS, CABINET PORTRAITS, &c., &c.

Hongkong, November 27, 1869. PHOTOGRAPHY, TUST Published by the Undersigned, Series of 12 × 10 in., Instantaneous Views comprising: The Public LANDING of H.R.H. PRINCE ALFRED, H.M.S.

W. P. FLOYD.

GALATEA, and line of BOATS, &c., &c. J. THOMSON. COMMERCIAL BANK BUILDINGS. Hongkong, November 9, 1869,

THE CHINA & JAPAN MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL, 1,500,000 TABLE SHANGHAI SYCEE IN 3,000 SHARES OF 500 TAELS EACH. Paid up Capital, TLS. 300,000, OR TLS. 100

PER SHARE. COURT OF DIRECTORS. F. A. GROOM, Esq., of Messrs Glover, Dow

ed to send in particulars of their claims to W. Jackson, Esq., of Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China. R. W. LITTLE, Eaq., of Messrs Little & Co. 1869, after which date no Claims will be T. PROBST, Esq., of Mesers Wm. Pustau &

> J. B. ROBERTSON, Esq., of Messrs Bull, Purdon & Co. J. F. H. TRAUTMANN, Esq., of Messrs Trautmann & Co.

HEAD OFFICE, SHANGHAI. SECRETARIES, pro tem., Messes Traut-MANN & Co. COUNSEL TO THE COMPANY,

N. J. HANNEN, Esq., Barrister at Law. LONDON. COMMITTEE OF THREE DIRECTORS Agents, Messrs Bobt. Benson & Co.

AGENTS:— In Hongkong...Messrs WM. Pustau & Co. HANKOWF. MAJOR, Esq. FOOCHOW..... Messis John Foster & Co. YOKOHAMA...Messis Aspinall, Cornes SINGAPORE... Messrs HARRISON, SMITH &

PHE Company will commence business in January next, or as soon after as the Directors shall have been enabled to allot the Shares. The Company will be a permanent one.

The Net Profits will be divided every year as follows: 30 per cent will be return ed as Bouus to all Contributors of business. rateably in proportion to the amount of Net Premia contributed. Interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on the paid up Capital will be paid to the Shareholders, and the Balance of the Net Profits carried to the Reserve Fund.

When the Reserve Fund shall have reached Tls. 300,000, the Net Profits will be divided as follows: 30 per cent to all Contributors of Business; 20 per cent to the Reserve Fund; and 50 per cent to the Shareholdera. When the Reserve Fund shall have

then be divided as follows: 30 per cent to all Contributors of Business; and 70 per cent to the Shareholders. The Funds will be in the hands of the Directors, both at Shanghae and London and also at such places where the business proves large enough to warrant a Committee

reached Tls. 500,000, the Net Profits will

Messrs TRAUTMANN & Co. will officiate Eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely at qualified Secretary from England.

> TRAUTMANN & Co., Secretaries, pro tem. Shanghai, November 23, 1869.

IN consequence of an announcement made by Mr KELLY on the night of the last performance at the Garrison Theatre that At the first meeting of Creditors the the Amateurs 75th Regt. would appear Registrar will receive the proofs of the debts again on Saturday Evening, I' beg to state The undersigned having determined upon of Creditors, and the Creditors may choose for the information of the Play-going make the announcement, and that no further All persons who have possession of any performance will take place at the above

> W. GODFREY, Cr. Sergt., President. - Hongkong, November 27, 1869,

New Advertisements. THE "ONLY" BOWLING ALLEYS IN HONGKUNG!

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF H.R.H. THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH. K.G., K. T.,

AND THE OFFICERS OF H.M.S. GALATRA. ARIENTAL BOWLING ALLEYS AND

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4. WELLINGTON STREET The Proprietor begs respectfully to any nounce that the lease to the Hongkong Club has expired, and that the above establishment is now at the service of his ng. merous patrons and the public generally, also that he has two of the FINEST AMERI CAN BILLIARD TABLES ever imported into Hongkong, made specially for him by Mesers Steamle and Hughes, of California

and which are available for use. Wines and Spirits of the First Quality.

D. BROWNE, Proprietor. Hongkong, November 17, 1869.

LATEST SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

Dec. 9, Ganges, Brit. steamer, 1200, Dundas, Shanghai, Dec. 5, General. P. & O. CLEARED. Sunskins, for Guam.

Alice, for Falmouth. PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. -- Per Ganges, Mr and Mrs Mi. osulay, Capt. Fenliman, Mr Blackwell, and SHIPPING REPORTS.

The Brit, steamer Ganges, reports strong

tained in the River 14 hours with thick weather. Passed steamer Succonada on Monday at 7 a.m. off the Light-ship, POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WILL CLOSE:-For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-

CUTTA. Per CATHERINE APCAR on Saturday, the 11th Instant, at 2.30 P.M. For SINGAPORE & BOMBAY. Per SHAFTESBURY, on Sunday, the 12th Instant, at 8 a.m. For MANILA.

Per SANTA ANA, on Monday, the 13th Instant, at 4.30 p.m. For SAN FRANCISCO. Per LADY BOWEN, on Saturday, the 11th Instant, at 2.30 p.m. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES MAIL PAGE KET "AMERICA." For YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO.

THE UNITED STATES AND THE UNITED KINGDOM .-Per the United States Mail Packet "AMERICA," on SATURDAY, the 18th Instant, at 2 P.M. The Rates of Postage on Correspondence forwarded by this opportunity, which must in each case be paid in advance, are as fol-

To Yokohama, San Francisco and the nited States. For Letters, 8 cents per half-ounce. For each Newspaper not exceeding 4 ounces, 2 cents.

lows, viz.:-

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Correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom not fully prepaid will be sent via F. W. MITCHELL $oldsymbol{Postmaster}$ General, General Post Office.

Hongkong, December 9, 1869. UNDER DESPATOR For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta. Per Catherine Apear, on Saturday, the 11th instant, at 3 p.m. For Singapore and Bombay. -- Per Shaftesbury, on Sunday, the 12th Instant, at 9

For Manila.—Per Santa Ana, on Monday, the 13th Instant. For San Francisco.—Per Lady Bower, ou Saturday, the 11th Instant. **JUOTATIONS**

Hongkong, 9th December, 1869.

OPIUM.—Patna, New, ... \$5282 Benares, New Malwa. Persian. COTTON .- BOMBAY,

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Gold Leaf, 999 touch, ... 23.25 Gold Bar, ... 22.70 English Sovereigns, 4.58 a 4.60 Australian Sovereigns, Gas Company Shares H. & W. poa Dock, Old, H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, ... 27 p. c. prem Do. do. New. ... 14 p. a preside Union Dock

H. C. & Macao Shares,... ... 26 prem Temperature. Hongkong, 9th December, 1869. (Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s President Queen's Road. THERMOMETER-9 A.M., Dry, . .

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THE CHINA MAIL. HONGKONG, THUBSDAY, DEC. 9, 1869

BARON VON RICHTHOFEN'S EXPEDITION.

WE vesterday drew the attention of the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce to the opportunity presented by the expedition undertaken by Baron von Richthofen for tarding the commercial status and prosnossessing peculiar interest to the mercantile community, we now propose to examine more fully the general bearing of the subject, the objects to be achieved, and the basis upon which such an undertaking should be conducted. There are many details the arrangement of which must of course be left to the matured this order as that which experience of mercantile residents. But it may well be that a sketch of the gene ral considerations to be borne in mind will aid them in arriving at a clear idea of what has to be accomplished and how it is to be done. The proposed exploration in question presents itself to public attention under a most favorable aspect, It does not lie with Hongkong to organize an exploring expedition; that has already been done by the Shanghai community, The Chamber has merely, Baron von Richthofen's consent to a companion or companions accompanying him granted, to avail itself of the arrangements made to aid its own views and the interests of foreign trade in China gene-

Placed as foreigners are, at a few noints on the seaboard and rivers China, without the liberty of residence, or free movement in the interior, they may be said to trade in the country with bandaged eyes; and there has been much in this enforced blindness to account for many of the commercial disasters and heavy losses which frequently, and of late years more especially, have to seriously affected foreign trade. It is but repeating a truism to say that foreign and native merchants conduct their business dealings together on unequal terms: that the foreigner stands at a disadvanit were in the hands of the Chinaman. At the commencement a fairer equilibthe native market, of the production and recall memory, to the recording of many demand of the interior, the Chinanian a point, which from its own seeming was as uninformed on the state of Euro- insignificance at the time, or by the atpean movements and the working of the tention being engrossingly engaged days enlarged the foreigner's field of vision, and somewhat drawn aside the very different results. He has obtained fruits of his labor. more than a glimpse of, or an acquaintance with, the general character and features of the foreigner's dealings with YESTERDAY special services were observ-

vernment's increasing detestation of the and respectful terms, and asserts (though more intelligent, shrewd, and clever man for it will have a lasting political effect. of business; but we are decidedly of a contrary opinion, and maintain that he

is out of comparison with the European. Whatever causes however have put the foreign merchant at so great a disadvantage with the Chinese, it must be clear to depot. Already about 400 coolies are all here that one of the first steps necessary to the correction of the evil is as full and complete an acquaintance as possible with every shred and scrap of practical, accurate and reliable information about the condition of the country and working of trade in the interior Every item of such knowledgestrengthens the foreigner's position, and will assuredly become one of the levers by which the visinertia of Great Britain's Chinese policy will be overcome. These are the objects to be achieved by the commercial expedition which we urge should be set on foot. sequiring some reliable information re- No sort of information, even to the minutest details, should be passed over or for coppering, and three more are in the observation, they may appear of trifling appear that business in this way is beimportance; for it is more frequently by a combination of various small details than by the presentment of one prominent fact that the mind is influenced and the opinion guided. A delegate's plan of inquiry might well be divided into three great heads. 1. The Condition the Country; 2. Its Population; Its Trade. We place them in observations would naturally follow. The first would of course be divided several branches;—its physical character formation, topography, productions, me teorology, etc., these again being subdivided for the more accurate collection of information. A country's physical character and formation embracing so many separate subjects, must be of the highest interest and utmost importance. and a knowledge of its details might help to direct investigation to others of an entirely different character, and lead to the correction of false conclusions. In the same way inquiry under the head population should divide itself into personal appearance, dress, occupation, habits and clistoms, character, religion, traditions, health, crime, etc., Observations on trade might take shape and completeness in a report upon commodi- pioneers of a new era in domestic service. ties industries and manufactories, customs and usages, banking and currency. WE learn on good authority that the transport, communications, trades, mar- marriage of the Emperor of China kets of supply and demand, etc., etc. Under each of these divisions, a separate, which period, it seems probable, series of inquiries would present them. Majesty will also be emancipated from selves-to-the-mind for subdivision, each tutelage and commence his actual reign. line of which would again carry investigation to distinct, yet relative, systematic, and comprehensive discovery. This plan may appear to some as an endless division and subdivision, but we submit it as an illustration of the principle on which inquiry should be conducted. The priningly. During the year 1870, this Compation when P. C. Salisbury took both

iect matter is quickly jotted as it strikes the senses, sets of printed forms should be rium, something approaching to a balance filled in as the exigencies of travel might of disadvantages, was struck; if the permit daily, or as frequently as possible. foreigner was kept in wondering ignor- The forms, varying in plan according to ance of the condition and phases of the subjects dealt with by them, would

trade which had arrived on the threshold on the consideration of other points, of his country and was eagerly demand. would slip, from remark; a record omiting admittance. Prolonged intercourse ted perhaps at a time when its own in- song pidgin" for their special delectation and did not wish the horse-coolie to be very did very little to lift the veil hiding significance would be completely destroythe business dealings of Chinamen from ed by its confirming or disproving facts WE also note that, by the Pacific mail stea-European eyes, and though lapse of time, of more prominent importance. We bear more numerous points of contact, and a thus at length on the filling in of forms. vastly increased trade have since those | repeating ourselves on this matter, that our insistence may prevent the mass of note-taking and the larger amount curtain from much of the entiting pic- labor and mental strain, which are necesture which he drew of the almost illimit- situted by the fatigue, incidents, and able extent, the fabulous wealth, and excitement of explorative journeys, being

huge yet harmonious proportions of Chi- rendered of little, or less than its full nese trade, many of the figures, feat value. It is to provide a check and the larger native hongs and friends' houses, tures, and details of that portion of the safeguard against the lights and shades, picture which has been displayed to him accidents, and unperceived influences are "wrapt in a mist shroud" still hid which betray a traveller's pen, and renden and obscure. To the Chinaman, on der his work unserviceable. No loyal the contrary, prolonged and enlarged explorer would grudge the additional intercourse with Europeans has produced trouble which would best secure the

him. He has acquired an intimate ed in the Roman Cathedral, in recogniknowledge of all the peculiarities of those | tion of the Œcumenical Council which dealings and an approximately complete was presumed (and we have no doubt mastery of their nature, working and correctly so) to have assembled and coinbe attributed to many inherent differen- noon service was timed so that it might ces of race and constitution; to many be coincident with the hour (ten o'clock) causes over which the foreigner has lit at which the Council was to be opened. tle or no control; to errors of national We as Protestants fully respect and policy through a false estimate of what admire the reverent and truly Catholic has been termed the Government of spirit which found expression on this China; to the haste of the European to occasion, and we are quite sure that it grow rich; to his neglect of small mat- will be imitated in liberality of tone in ters and his bold defiance of danger; the Union Church on Sunday morning even his straightforwardness, his libera next, when the Rev. D. B. Morris will lity and truthfulness have told against preach in reference to the same topic, him. On the other hand we have the craft | On Sunday morning last, the ray, gentle-steam optic wonders and wonderful little and caution of the Chinaman, his character man read a letter written by the Rev. steam-tops. teristic qualities of nature and inherent Dr Merle d'Aubigne to Mr A. Kinproclivities, his swarmeries, trade come naird, M.P., in which it was suggested The San Salvador ship Callao, Capt. Lava- Tang Pak Foo, for having perjured himself binations, and unions; even bis guilds that such reference should be made with their pressure and control over wherever throughout the world Prox individual liberty, besides severe frugal testants assembled to hear the teachings

foreigner; its vigilant, sleepless, untiring, in less imperative language than Archbipersistent opposition to every thing or shop Manning has employed, and with step that might advance the interests or less assumption of authority than is inprolong the stay of the European. These, plied by His Holiness) a wish for reconmake up a list of causes sufficiently nu- ciliation between the two great divisions merous and ample to account for the of the Christian Faith. The meeting of superior vantage ground of the Chinese the Council has not received the attenmerchant. It has sometimes been said tion here that, as we think, it deserves. that of the two the Chinaman is the bet- It has, or ought to have, a deep interest ter merchant, in the sense that he is a for politicians as well as for theologians,

> WE learn that two United States Emigration boarding-houses have been opened at Shek Tong Tsui on the Praya, next daily fed, and the prospects of the agency seem encouraging. As this scheme is under the sanction of the Hongkong Government, and the press of the United States has shown itself fully determined to uphold the proper treatment of Chinese emigrants—the terms offered moreover being exceedingly fair and liberalwe have no hesitation in wishing it success. A most favorable element is the desire manifested for every publicity, the surest check upon abuses of whatever emigration purposes is already hauled up them.—Bulletin.

In connection with this matter we subjoin the following very satisfactory paragraph from the New York Commercial Advertiser of October 20th :---

There was a strike recently on a bridge at Council Bluffs. The contractors at once sent to California and hired one hundred Chinese laborers to take the place of those who had struck. They pay these workmen \$35 a month, against \$45 to the former workmen, and are quite as well supplied. New Orleans, Memphis and Vicksburg have already sent agents to China to bring emigrants to them. This labor is to come in freely... It will complete the railroad system of the South and Southwest. harbors, construct wharves and piers and do all the drudgery that heretofore has been done by others. The Chinese will work more cheaply, and so the immens cost of these public works will be reduced. The problem that the Chinese emigration propounds is surrounded with many perlexing questions, but we have no doubt ese will settle themselves. In California here is a changed feeling in regard to this abor, and at the South prejudice yielded to welcome. At the East there has been no hostility to the Chinese, and organized effort to introduce them. will be accepted when they come, as the

deferred until the autumn of 1870, at

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An alteration in the advertisement contage to the native, a disadvantage which ciple of subdivision of labor applies and steamers will leave Hongkong for San question, when P. C. Salisbury took both and steamers will leave Hongkong for San question, when P. C. Salisbury took both and steamers will leave Hongkong for San question, when P. C. Salisbury took both and sand steamers will leave Hongkong for San question. prolonged intercourse has up to the pre- equally to all kinds and to none more Francisco on the 12th of every month, up to the Station.—A weak defence, or sent time served only to increase. From than that of the mind. We should our- June excepted, in which month the stea- rather strong denial, was made by the priselves propose that, in addition to the mer sails on the 11th. The incoming steat soner; which was at once followed by a merchant has to a large extent been, as traveller's note-books, into which all sub- mers will arrive here a few days earlier sentence of one month's hard labor. than formerly owing to this change. The the 12th of January, 1870.

By the P. M. S. S. America, it may be good regime (diet and labor) was adopted noticed that the wonderful little couple. General Tom Thumband his wife, have come "starring" or staring is satisfactorily completed at Shanghai; so that the Chinese (and possibly some of the foreigners) of ungroomed, and complainant had to feed on payment therefor.

mer, have arrived the unusually large number of over one thousand Chinese passengers from California. It has often been naked where these floods of native immi- peared on a charge of the unlawful possesto their various native towns and villages. there doubtless to spread far and wide (at least in Southern China) their opinious of the way they do things in America. Unquestionably this is a means of intercourse which must not be too lightly thought of in

the matter of progression in China. Amongst the little things which show how kong at least, as we believe that they have been imported by a house here for the first quently discharged.

rello, arrived at this port on Sunday, the with 650 Chinese emigrants on board,

vessels taking Chinese emigrants on board, route, on account of the late season. It may be expected that, in future, all vestheir voyage, touch here, unless the season is too far advanced.—Hawaiian Gazette.

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A REPORT is current at Washington that Akwai and Absang, the other two witnesses the Fiji Islanders want an American Pro- (now also charged with perjury) were obtectorate. They do not apprehend attack, tained from Macao, after great difficulty, were the Word and the Divinity of Christ. but some of the white men who frequent examined by Mr Deane, and then produced 2. Constantinople, 381, called to condemn the islands have told them that if the flag as witnesses against the alleged murderers. the Apollinarists, and to profess against of a great nation gave security to property, -Mr Francis, for the prisoner, repeated the Macedonians the Divinity of the Holy many fine houses would be built and many his former objection, that there was no spirit. It confirmed the Creed of Nice. ships would visit them. The choice lay direct complainant to whom the prisoner That creed, which is popularly known as between England and the United States could look in case of damages being reco- the Nicene, is the joint composition of the and the preference is for the latter. The verable; and he added that this objection islands are small in area and population applied to the entire proceedings. Mr F., (about as extensive as the Hawaiian group), bowever, reserved his defence, but asked who had already been excommunicated by five thousand miles southwest from San bail, and fully committed the prisoner for ling that Mary was truly Theotoko, the between this port and Melbourne. Our Supreme Court. Prisoner was then remove rity to the condemnation of Pelagius by nuture. At Messrs MacDonald's Slip, Government has some claims on the islands led to prison. West Point, a large vessel engaged for and the grant of a Protectorate would settle . The similar charge against Akwai and

> has been erected at Paukaa Point, entrance to Hilo Harbor, Hawaii. The light is at an elevation of 50 feet above the sea level, s plain fixed light, and can be seen easily 10 miles out to sea. From the lighthouse the outer point of the reef bears 8. 58 ° H. Inner point of the reef, S. 39 ° E., Gover ness's flagstaff, (about the centre of the harbor) S. 22 ° E. Leleiwi Point, S. 79 and Makahanaloa Point N. 29 Bearings, Magnetic.

TO-DAY'S POLICE. Mr Russell on the Bouch. Cheng Amoon, described as a carpenter at the Union Docks, was caught yesterday ifternoon with a lot of nails on him. nails were found in the fellow's shoes and his pookets, and he himself was hid away under a ship which was undergoing repairs. P. C. 38 caught this rascal, and on searching him found a handful of nails in his shoes, the action of which on the feet had so lacerated the thief that he was bleeding. -Defendant having given the usual denia he was sent to hard labor for one month.

A cakeseller named Chea Akum was fined the sum of \$2 for having holden, a small 'Fan-tan" party in Bonham Strand yesterday evening. The man, however, who was counting out the heap of cash got away. -This sort of thing (fan-tan, at least) may be a staple article of Magisterial attention shortly, though it is now noted as a rarity. Chum Akum calls himself a coolie, he appears to be also a very curious customer, if not a dangerous one. He distin guished himself yesterday by appropriating what "was'nt his'n," and of all things the world he fixed his envious desires upon the rope of a brother-coolie. complainant rushed off in that liar to the keen competition street-cool es to obtain a job, the prisoner quietly picked up the poor coolie's rope and disappeared. He shortly after appeared in the capacity of a hawker of rope, and complainant discovered that the thief hawking the stolen property. On comis cerning the dates of departure of the P. M. across this "sharp" commercial man; com-S. S. Co.'s steamers came in too late to be plainant demanded his rope, but was asked Majesty arrived. The march of a regiment

James Murphy, discharged soldier, ex-Japan will therefore sail from this port on policeman and now destitute, was up on a charge of "binuming;" and the usual temporary measure of fourteen days' under the

Che Ayow, horse-coolie to Mr H. to astonish the natives of the Asiatic na- David at Wanchi, was taught his duty this tions. They are coming down to Hong- morning pretty clearly by Mr Russell. Mr kong, by and by, we hear, after their David complained of frequent cases of neglect: defendant was continually running away and leaving the horses unfed and severely punished; but he remarked that it was very hard he could not get his horses properly looked after. -- he coolie was fined in the mitigated penalty of \$3, in default fourteen days' hard labor. A watchmaker named Yu Wing Tai ap-

gration find their level or resting place, and sion of a watch-chain under the following whether they add much to the permanent circumstances. Bombardier O'Neill, R. A., population of Victoria, Hongkong. It may had a watch and chain stolen from the safely be said that for the most part they Fives Court at the Barracks on the 26th do not make a long stay in this Colony, but ulto,, a lot of soldiers and men-of-war's that, after lodging for a very short time in men being in the Court at the time he was playing the game with his coat off. On they disperse all over the Canton province going yesterday to look at some chains and -watches, with the purpose of buying another, his own chain was produced. The article was at once claimed, when the watchmaker at once said he got it to repair from a sailor. Defendant made a fairly honest defence, and described the interview with complainant, as well as the manner in which he came in possession of the chain. He said that a decent-looking man dressed the wind blows, or rather how the water in civilian's dress came to him with the blows off in steam, in this scientific age, it | chain, asking whether it could be mended is interesting to notice the advancement of so that it could not be discerned as having the age as reflected in the toys provided been mended, and promised to pay \$2.50 for for the children of the present day at home. the job if done quickly. According to an Little over a century since James Watt was entry in the watchmaker's book, this man's well assured that there is not a foreigner as the opening of the canal shall have be conditions. These opposite results may menced proceedings at Rome. The after experimenting on steam toys, with the purname was put down as "Jelly;" and the pose of introducing the great power which watchmaker observed that he could recogby subsequent improvements has since be- nise this "Jelly" if he saw him again come the greatest m ver (bumanly speak- Defendant produced a number of certifiing) in the universe; and now the sfore- cates of character, some of which were very said mover has been so subjected and con- smusingly worded, giving little enough trolled that toys are exported from Eng. credit occasionally to the Chinese as a race land to all parts of the world, in which the for honesty or fair-dealing. - The chain in immense power of steam is made to take a dispute was handed over to the bombardier playful form for the amusement of the in payment of one dollar, and defendant latter and his party gave an entertain- hence, should the canal be the success it "Jelly" if possible. Defendant was conse-I'wo or three cases of "tipsy cakes"

(fine, 50 cents), and chair-hire cases, completed Mr Russell's programme for to-day. The investigation into the charge against by giving evidence in the case of the Sow-15th August, 55 days from Macao, China, kewan Murder, was continued to-day. It may be remembered that the four men now lity in daily life. And more than all of the pulpit. The letter is too long to formerly well-known American ship Two- yieted mainly on Pak Foo's evidence bound to Callao, Peru. The Callao is the in Gaol under sentence of death were conmay these results be attributed to his Go. print, but it is couched in most courteons light. Through the politeness of Capt, Lava- hence the importance of the present inves-

rello, and of our townsman F. A. Schaefer, | tigation. The prisoner, however, has now Esq., we are enabled to give the following been committed for trial at the next Criniemoranda:- The Callao left Macao on the minal Session of the Supreme Court; and 19th of June; has experienced during the the evidence must again be gone over at torical order. These great Conventions of passage light winds and calms; the health the higher Court, where the guilt of the Church are never assembled except durof the passengers has been good, with few exceptions—four deaths having occurred on murderers must be finally decided on by a affairs. Questions of discipline, definition passage. The Callao left at Macao four Jury.—Inspector Daly was the only witness tions, or official and technical declarations for Callao, of which the Fray Buentos and double-arrest of the prisoners now under tute the business of Councils. For instance, the America will certainly touch at these sentence in Gadi; that on the 25th July, the doctrine of the Divinity of Christ was Islands, while the Pridenza and Louisa the release on the 27th, and the second not "defined," or technically or logically Canevaro will, perhaps, take the southern seizure on the 25th of the same month. declared as a dogma necessary to salvation, sels taking coolies to Callao will, during Deane and Hazeland examined him twice held and believed by the Catholic Church.

Inspector also detailed the munner in which | Councils :

Ahsang was then proceeded with; and as ches, who denied the dual nature of Christ. pects of Western China. As a matter left unrecorded, though at the time of stream awaiting their turn, so it would The Hillo Lighthouse as it forms almost part of the same charge, the evidence must bear a great resemblance, It also confirmed the decrees of the prowe do not enlarge thereon.

> JAPAN. Gazette, Yokohama, Dec. 2.)

In this country, whilst the operation the harvest are occupying all the farming class, and mercantile men are doing the best they can to rub along, and make business, the government is trying to lay all things in train for the coming session. The Governors of the provinces, no longer rejoicing in their old titles of daimies, are presumed to be making up a statement of their territories, retainers and revenues a required of them by the Mikado, with view to the Imperial arrangements being made to take them over and to provide the princes themselves with a sufficient income t is a question the solution of which awaited with very considerable interest whether the returns will be houestly made and on this being ascertained the real feel ing of the country with respect to the recent changes in the government will be revealed. It is of very considerable moment therefore, and various rumours are abroad respecting the anticipated action of some of the leading mon. It is hazardous to give utterance to an opinion on Japanese affairs, but we do not look for any trouble

An interesting procession recently passed

along the Tokaido, or high road between

Kioto, the old seat of Mikadonic sanctity,

and Yedo, the Governmental city, in which

His Majesty now resides. The Empress.

young lady of some sixteen or seventeen summers, was on her way to join her lord at the Eastern Capital. The arrangements made along the road were similar to those made when the Mikado himself passed. The rough places had been made smooth and the upper stories of the houses were all closed and the windows sealed that no curious eye might look on the illustrious lady from above. A place had been set apart for foreigners to which all might go to view the cortêge, and of which many availed themselves. The Japanese multitude assembled along the road and of Japanese soldiers has lately been reduced to something of the regularity of the European system, but in a procession there is a very small portion of this element. The bulk of it is composed of baggage tended, her ladies being carried each in a we cannot convey to our readers any idea of Asia. Up to the present moment shipround the norimon, that it was all we could of steam vessels especially adapted for the do to catch a glimpse of it : and its blinds | work they will have to perform. To the were so closely drawn that we could not old centres of trade with the East the openobtain the faintest shadow of its occupant. ing of the canal appears as a golden op-Following her and closing the procession portunity for disputing on fairer terms were more mounted officers and more than was heretofore possible the comtroops. Her Majesty reposed at Kanaga- mercial supremacy of England. But Engwa that night, and started early in the fol- land, although less enthusiastic, less quick lowing morning upon the last stage for of apprehension than the people of the Yedo. All the men of war saluted her at 8 South, is not behindhand. The Docko'clock on Friday morning; and jubilant | yards of her great ports resound with the as was the cannonade, Her Majesty may be note of preparation, and she will, as soon in Japan but would rather that their iron come un fait accompli, pour down the dread-

mies, than that a hair of her head should make her rivalry almost as formidable in parture for San Francisco to day- first great result of the opening of the canal. General Van Valkenburgh. Another Sailing ships cannot for months together arrived the day before yesterday in the successfully navigate the Red Sea, hence

local readers. and neither the import or export trade can which those concerned would do well to boast of any life or activity,

ŒCUMENICAL COUNCIL. The great General Council which has assembled in the Vatican is the 19th in hisexamined to day; and he detailed t e of the existing faith of the Church consti-Prisoner was on hoard the Police Chop until the year 325, A.D., by the General during these movements; and Messrs Council of Nice, although it was universally during this time once before the first The Philadelphia Inquirer gives the followarrest, and again before the release. The ing historical summary of all the General

1. Nice, A.D., 325, called to establish against the Arians the consubstantiality of

first and second Councils.

3. Ephesus, 491, condemned Nestorius lying in latitude 18° south latitude, about for bail. Mr May refused application for Pope Coelestina, and Nestorianism, declar-Francisco, near the route of vessels sailing trial at the next Criminal Sessions of the Mother of God. It has added its autho-Pope Zozimus. 4. Chalcedon, 451, condemned Euty-

iceding Council of Ephesus. 5. Constantinople, 553, condemned the "Three Chapters" which favored Nestoria-

6. Constantinople, 680, condemned Monotheism, an offshoot of Eutychianish, which asserted that there was but one will

7. Nice, 787, condemned Iconoclasm, or the Sectaries, who offered the use of paintings and statuary in the ornamentation of

8. Constantinople, 869, condemned and Lateran, 1123, condemned the attempt of the secular power to usurp the

power of investiture, or the power of the State to appoint pastors of churches. It further enacted various disciplinary canons. 10. Laterau, 1129, attempted to restore the Greek schismatics to the Church. The sect of the Manicheans, known as the Albigenses, and Arnold of Breacis, a disciple of Abelard, were condemned. 11. Lateran, 1179, reformed disciplinary

12. Lateran, 1215, renewed the condemnation of Albigenses and Vaudois, including a solemn exposition of Catholic dogmas. 13. Lyons, 1245, called to add strength to the excommunication and deposition of the Emperor Frederic, by Innocent IV, for

14. Lyons, 1274, discussed the doctrine of the procession of the Holy Ghost, and again made efforts to promote re-union between Greeks and Latins.

15. Vienne, 1311, the condemnation of the Knigh's Templar and Beguins, the Soialists of Rome. 16. Fiorence, 1439, called to promote re-

anion among the Greeks and Latins, was completely successful, the doctrines of Rome in reference to the Holy Ghost, the Primacy of the Pope, etc., being admitted nd received. 17. Lateran, 1512, condemned the Prag-

matic Sanction, and upheld the independence of the Bishop of Rome. 18.-Treut, 1545, 1563, was called to reform discipline and remove abuses, not to change decrees, and to condemn the prin-

ciples of Luther, Calvin, and others of the religious revolutionists of the 16th century. THE SUEZ CANAL & INDIAN TRADE. The Suez Canal has now reached a stage and norimon bearers, with the atten- from which its successful completion scems dants of the exalted personages whose but a question of hours. We hear of M. de persons they guard on foot. There is Lesseps having navigated the canal for twomuch of the straggling character about it, thirds of its distance, and of a steamer havtherefore, and very little of pomp, and ing passed through the canal. We are told no splendour. Her Majesty was well at by telegraph that the Messageries Imperiales Company, with a commendable national beautiful norimon surrounded by a suffi- spirit, have determined to signalise the opencient guard, before her. They were preced- ing of the canal by sending their fine steaed by soldiers and in the procession rode a mer, the Godavery, through it, so as to make

few officers, who had charge of the march. | an unbroken voyage from Marseilles to Cal-After the ladies, and immediately preced- cutta. The announcement of this fact is, ing the Empress, came a few companies of perhaps, the most startling proof of the soldiers following their band. This was greatness of the enterprise, and its value as Hongkong will have a new kind of "sing- and groom with his own hands. Complain- fife and drum"—but we are thankful that Europe and the great producing countries of the fife performance. The tune (?) the owners seem unable to realise the true regimental bands play is always the same; character of the impending revolution in but although we have now heard them the mode of conducting the trade between many a time and oft, we do not believe India and China, and the busy communithat there is a single European or American | ties of the West. No sooner was it known among us who has succeeded in catching it along the coasts of the Mediterranean that correctly. It is so cleverly unmelodious. the canal would be completed at the time Fortunately for the high lady in whose fixed than the trading enterprise which of honour all this circumstance was afoot, old distinguished their many cities awoke she was at a sufficient distance from to a new life. Italy pressed with renewed it to hear it but faintly if at all. She vigor the claims of Brindisi as a port of decame in a perfectly plain norimon, sur- parture for passengers to the East. France rounded by a number of attendants, saw a new chance of securing that direct whose stately step and stolid countenances | trade with India for which her merseemed ill-assorted with the sweet little chants and manufacturers have so long creature the imagination painted their im- | sighed; and even Austria saw her opporperial mistress to be. They were so close | unity, and set about the building of a fleet missiles should be poured among her ene- ed Red Sea, such a fleet of steamers as will those waters as it now is on the longer One American General takes his de- route by sea. This seems likely to be the ment on the night of their arrival. Yes seems to be, the seaborne trade of India is

terday they held a levee, at which General likely to be deflected in a large measure to Van Valkenburgh was present. the Canal. The Eastern ports are likely to Our settlement has been singularly de- be thronged with steamers competing for world of any interesting incidents. The only cargo. The effect of this competition will local matter that has come prominently soon be felt in reduced freights, that is forward is the old subject of municipal cheaper transit. Indian produce will resch affairs. We give an account of the meet- the European markets in a shorter period, ing that was held at the British Consulate, and orders will be completed within a few but believe it has little interest for any but | weeks of the date on which they may be given by telegraph. All these are signs of Business has resumed its normal dulness; a revolution in the commerce of the Rast, ponder over in time. - Englishman, Nov. 3.

JUST RECEIVED PER FRENCH MAIL STEAMER "CAMBODGE" small lot of Gruyere CHEESE, yellow color, of best quality, Price, 50 cents per lb. EGustomers are requested to apply at once tomit and to main

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 17, 1869. del

Just received, ex "Invincible." small Invoice of Pitt's SODA WATER and LEMONADE. THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY Hongkong, September 6, 1869.

FOR SALE, TRESH Californian HAY and OATS. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 21, 1869.

FOR SALE. CHAMPAGNE) OEDERER, . Carte Noire. Carte Blanche Carte Blanche Dore Gladiateur. SANDER & Co., Sole Agents for Hongkong and China.

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WM. M. COOPER. BRITISH CONSULATE. Taewanfu, June 15, 1869.

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Hongkong, August 24, 1864. NOTICE.

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Above 1 month and not exceeding 3,... } Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,... 4 Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

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Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents. t per cent. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, # per cent.

Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

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Hongkong, April 8, 1868. THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insur-HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

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Hongkong, August 26, 1869. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

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> Bustan's Postmaster General.
> General Post Office, Hongkong, December 6, 1869.

tion on the 1st October next, correspondence addressed to Constantinople will be forwarded at the following reduced Rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance,

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W. Minchell,
Postmaster, General.

General Post Office.

Hongkong, 23rd September, 1869.

It is hereby notified that, under the authority of a Treasury Warrant dated the list May last, Superintending, or First Class Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, be entitled to the same privileges in regard to Letters sent by or addressed to them on their own private affairs as are at presen be entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of but the First-Class now are to the same privileges, in regard to their Letters, enjoyed by non-commissioned Officers and Private Soldiers and . O . 6. 3d . 201) . A of A notang Filw MITCHELE

00 % ronodulf Postmaster General General Post Office. 113 Hongkong, July 31, 1868.

It is hereby notified for general informathe United States and Canadas, and contion that, as an experiment, Meils will be necting with the various Steam lines for made up at this Office, to be forwarded by each homeward British Contract Packet, to the United Kingdom and to places beyond by whomsoever presented, the paying Office Boxes, or the person of any Officer of the G. J. Helland, Esq. D. Sasson, Esq. be forwarded in these Mails must be specially directed via Brindisi, and they will be

> Addressed to the United Kingdom no exceeding half an ounce in weight, 38 cents for every additional half an ounce, 38 cents Addressed to the United States of Ame rica, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, 48 cents; for every additional half an ounce, 43 cents.

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cents; for every additional Newspaper not exceeding 4 ounces, 10 cents. The Postage must by fully prepaid. Unpaid of insufficiently paid Letters, &c., will not be sent via Brindisi. Book Packets and Packets of Patteries will not be for-

Postmaster General. (1) qui General Posti Unite, Hongkong, November 24, 1869.

Hall William Chent.

1.—On the lat October next, and thenceexceeding £10.[at] the rate. of Exchange Current for Each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following Swatow, Amoy, Foochow, Ningpo, Scale, viz.:-

For sums not exceeding £2,......12 Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,...24 £5 2.-No Money Order to include a frac-

tional part of a Pennymerals 3.—Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Slianghai, and Yoko-

hama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at the time of their presentation. 4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom, shewing the Countles in which they

are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama. 5.-Applicants for Money Orders mus Marseilles or to Singapore, may be furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, gosted on board the Packet from 8.30 | the initial of one Christian name, both of to 8.50 A. an on payment of a late fee the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remit 48 cents each, in addition to the ter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his or postage, after which no Letters can be dinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the

usual designation of such firm, such as "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the mere term Messrs, such as "Messrs. Riwindow set apart for the purpose, on | vington, for the name of a Company, trading under a title which does not consist of All correspondence for places to which pre- the names of the persons composing it, such payment is compulsory must be propaid | as "Carron Co." is inadmissible.

6.—The Remitter on stating that the Orcharged with a fine of One Shilling in the name of the Payee in such case, the Above 1 lb., and not exceeding Order will be crossed in the same way that Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 14th Cheques are commonly crossed when they Rvery additional & lb., 12 are intended to be paid through a Bank. Special attention is directed to the following sules and regulations which will be prepaid.

a Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order-be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person, known to be in the employ of such Bank 8.—The signature of the Payee of a Mo-

ney Order to be affixed to the Order in the Maps, Paper, &c., may be either printed, place provided for the purpose. If the written or plain, or any mixture of the at liberty to pay by the hour if they prefer to do ter assembled in the following pages is for Postage Stamps should be placed on the Payee be unable to write he must sign the three. upper right hand corner of the corres- receipt by making his mark in the presence bondence, except in cases where they of a Witness, who must sign his name, with covering of the same or of a portion there and Chinese, or of these Regulations, can be obtained on application at the Registrar

Post-office Notifications.

scribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and provided the Order be inclosed to the or sides. drawn. In such case a new Order will be sealed, nor any sealed enclosure whatever is sealed, the Commission chargeable upon the name and address of the sender is how. of a Dollar. The new Order.

Money Orders on any of the Money Order the Payee, (containing the necessary breath or depth; exceeding these dimensions in the United Kingdom will be particulars, and accompanied by an additions it cannot be forwarded through the Santied until 5 P.M. on the 13th Deal though the District and Order was payable.

As REGARDS PATTERNS,

12.—But when it is desired that any sic value.

error in the name of the Remitter or Payee which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief an unpaid lefter.

Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have repaired to the country open at the ends, so as to be easy of examination. Samples, however, of seeds, drugs, and so forth which cannot be sent in open ference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the and so forth, which cannot be sent in open amount of the New Order.

or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not even although they be transparent, must be made to the remitter until it, has been not be used for this purpose. Non-com- AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE ascertained that the advice has been can- pliance with this rule will also subject the celled at the Office on which the Order was packet to be detained or forwarded as an 14. Payment of an Order must be ob-

tained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn; for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise, the Order will become lapsed, and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount of the Order, will be charged) will become

end of the Twelfth Calendar, Month after the ordinary course, it would be forwarded 2 SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT that in which it was drawn. for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the and of the following January—all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless, ander peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it.

will not be liable to any further claim. If Post Office is, of course, applicable to the G. HEARD, Esq. All Letters and newspapers intended to a wrong payment, however, be made owing. Pattern Post; and a packet containing any. W. Lemann, Esq. to negligence on the part of any Officer of the Post Office, the Postmaster General of liable to the following rates of Postage, the Country or Colony in which the negli-gence occurs will, if he see fit, require the as Patterns, and have been detained as Officer in fault to make good the loss. the advice has been previously received.

18.—Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require. 19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hong-

kong, Shanghai or Yokobama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Arders. By Command

F.W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

REGISTRATION OF LETTERS AND BOOK PACKET SYSTEMS EXTENDED TO THE COAST PORTS AND JAPAN,

tion, by order of His Excellency Sir Security. Richard Graves MacDonnell, that, the forward Money Orders will be issued at system of registration has been, from this this Office and at the Agencies thereof at | date, extended to letters and other description Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money | tions of correspondence transmitted by the Order Offices in the United Kingdom of Post, in the Mails by both the British Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not | Contract Packets and by Private Ships. between this Office and each Agency there of in China and Japan, viz.: Canton hai, Nagasaki, Hlogo, and Yokohama, an also between any two of these Agencies.

can be registered unless the full postage upon it, as well as the registration fee, be paid in advance in postage Stamps, the Letters de., for registration will be received up to half an hour before the time fixed for closing the Mails.

they may good F. W. MITCHELL. nemail Postmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, 13th October, 1869.

It is hereby notified for general information, by order of His Excellency Sir Richard Graves MacDonnell, that Linceforward Book Packets and Rackets of Patterns or Samples of Merchandize, may be transmitted through the Post by the Mails made up to be forwarded both by the British Contract Packets and by Private Ships, between this Office and each Agency-thereof in China and Japan, viz.: Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Foochow, Ningpo, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Hiogo, and Yokohama, and also between any two of these Agencies, at the following rates of postage, which must be

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be loose or attached; as also rollers in the General's Office.

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ing Late Fees of Registration

9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order and whatever is necessary for the late transmission of literary or artistic matter of the late. Which the Order was issued, at some other of the Order was ori
Office than that in which the Order was ori
Every Book packet must be either withlar will be conducted in the Coins pre-ginally drawn, the transfer will be granted, out a cover, or in a cover open at the ends Postmaster of the Office in which it was It must not contain any letter, open or

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tion, orders will be given to stop payment. This rule excludes all articles of a saleable of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed nature, and indeed whatever may have Order. The additional Commission in the a value of its own, apart from its mere use tion. last case will be deducted from the amount as a pattern; and the quantity of any It is hereby notified for general informa of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be material sept; ostensibly as a pattern must proceed with the most of a law in on this ground an intrinsidered as having on this ground an intrin-

There must be no writing or marks other should be corrected or that the amount of than the address of the person for a Money Order should be repaid to the whom the packet is intended and that of Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should the sender, a trade mark and numbers, and be renewed for payment in the Country in prices of the articles ; otherwise the Packet

ommission will be deducted from the covers, may be enclosed in bags of linen c other material, tied at the neck; bags so 13.—Repayment whether of an original, closed that they cannot readily be opened, by the state of unpaid letter.

The Packets or the contents thereof must not contain any inclosure, sealed or otherwise closed against inspection.

In all other respects the general regula; 112 sets complete from 11. tions of the Book Post between Hongkong and the United Kingdom will apply to the Pattern Post. Under these regulations, in order to prevent any interruption to the 3, 7, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, and from 19 to 24. regular transmission of letters, a Packet of Patterns may, when it is necessary, be kept 15 If an Order be not paid before the back for the following Mail by which, in

The decision of the Postmaster General as to the eligibility of any Packet, pattern or sample contained therein to be forwarded under these regulations, will be fined and conclusive.

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> F. W. MITCHELL, General Post Office, Hongkong, October 13, 1869.

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